



Fred's (Peterson) Vintaged View

Though all of our Zinfandels are made from Dry Creek Valley grapes, our Dry Creek blend, as we refer to it, is a wine that we hope reflects the overall Dry Creek Valley Zinfandel *terroir*, as opposed to a single-vineyard character. It's also the Zinfandel that contains the highest percentages of blending varietals to give the wine maximum spice and an intriguing multifaceted quality.

Our 2007 Dry Creek blend is a very classic, "blackberry pie" Zinfandel. 10% Petite Sirah and 6% Carignane gives the wine additional complexity and depth of flavors. Accompanying the depth of fruit flavors, you'll find richness, complexity, spice, and earthiness to create a full flavored yet food-friendly wine.

The '07 growing season produced ripe, intense fruit. This fruitiness and intensity is reflected in all of our 2007 wines. Enjoy!

Tasting Notes

The subtle aromas of deep-seated fruit and earth belie the flavors to come. The creamy rich mouthfeel is loaded with spicy blackberry, candied strawberry, vanillin oak and a touch of earth. Full-bodied, smooth and balanced, this Zin offers integrated oak, tannins and fruit, creating a versatile, food-friendly wine that can also be enjoyed just by itself.

Primary Vineyards

West Vineyard

The West Vineyard sites a little above the valley floor on the benchland of Dry Creek Valley. The soil at the West Vineyard has a larger percentage of clay and gravel resulting in lower yields of intensely flavored and balanced fruit.

Funsten Vineyard

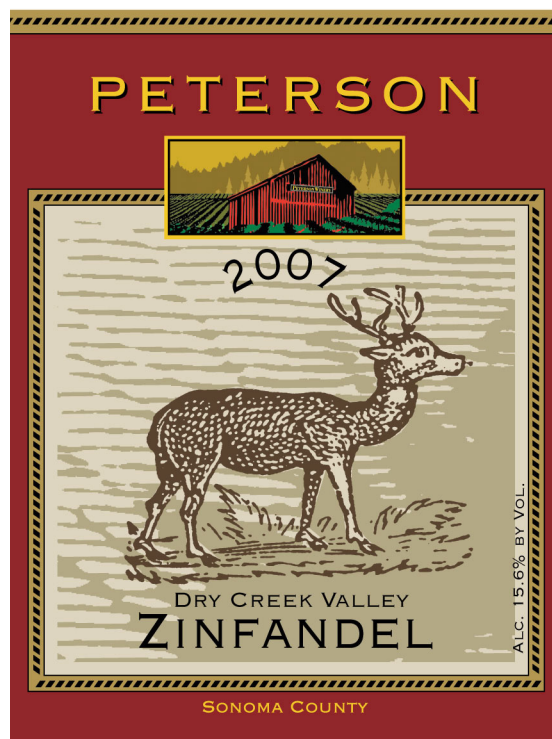
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Bradford Mountain Estate Vineyard

The vineyard is located just south of Bradford Peak at 1,000 ft. elevation with the perfect southwest exposure. Well-drained, red-clay soil, combined with sunny days and cool nights produce small, intensely flavored grapes with a higher acidity and a lower pH than valley fruit.

2007 ZINFANDEL

DRY CREEK VALLEY



Technical Data:

Composition:	
Varietal Breakdown:	Vineyard Breakdown/Harvest Dates:
84% Zinfandel	35% West Vineyard - 9/20/07
	21% Funsten Vineyard - 9/5/07
	18% Bradford Mtn Vnyd - 9/3/07
	10% Borkow Vineyard - 8/31/07
10% Petite Sirah	6% West Vineyard - 9/29/07
	4% Bernier Vineyard - 9/5/07
6% Carignane	6% Forchini Vineyard - 9/22/07
Appellation:	Dry Creek Valley, Sonoma County
Alcohol:	15.6%
pH:	3.70
TA:	0.60g/100ml
Barrel Aging:	20 months
Type of Oak:	80% 4-7 year-old mixed neutral oak barrels, 10% new Hungarian oak & 10% new American oak barrels
Bottling Date:	May 15, 2009
Production:	850 cases (750ml) / 50 cases (375ml)
Release Date:	May 2010

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